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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Pahokee Water To New Trailer Park

Mr. and Mrs. Manning I. Keen plan a new and modern trailer park on the recently purchased three acres of land they were able to secure from the U. S. Sugar Corp. immediately south of the Pure Oil Station in Canal Point. The new park, when completed, will meet every rule and regulation of the State Health Department and will have much-needed space in which to locate 50 trailers.

The Pahokee City Council in Monday night session intimated that water would be served to the new park from Pahokee city water mains which reach now as far north as Shirley Brothers red-mix plant at the U. S. Sugar Mill railroad spur. The council asked the city attorney and city engineer to negotiate with the sugar company for a right-of-way for the water line since they own a strip of land between the proposed park and Shirley's. Right-of-way can also be secured from the State Road Department it was pointed out this week by interested parties.

The Council received letters from three firms offering the services as fiscal agents for the city in its proposed sewer project. The firms were Sullivan, (continued on page 8)

Dr. Poteete Talks To Woman's Club

Dr. F. H. Poteete was guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Woman's Club, Wednesday, with the president, Mrs. C. M. Todd, presiding. Dr. Poteete gave a helpful talk on "Education for Later Maturity." It was announced that the Palm Beach County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet at Jupiter on January 10, and that members are invited to a luncheon on January 30, given by the Belle Glade Woman's Club.

Miss Connie Singletary was the guest of student member, Heather Reed.

Other guests were Mrs. J. V. Chastain, Mrs. Robert M. Sanders, Mrs. C. H. Tillis, Miss Lulu Barfield, Mrs. R. B. Simonson, Mrs. F. H. Poteete, Mrs. R. L. Hatton, Mrs. C. A. Shive, Mrs. Vance Denton, Mrs. Duncan Padgett and Mrs. Dan Carpenter.

New Hours For The Canal Pt. Post Office

In order that the local post-office may serve all folks who wish to use its service between now and Christmas, Mrs. Edythe Smith, post master, has announced that the office will be open until 5:30 p. m. on Saturday, December 15 and Saturday, December 22. Starting next Monday—Dec. 17—the office will be open from 8:00 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. until Dec. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weeks and family of Miami were the weekend guests of his father, J. G. Weeks in Canal Point.

South's Biggest Tree Has 1640 Bulbs

TAMPA—Tampa will have the South's largest Christmas tree this Yuletide season when the switch is thrown to light 1640 bulbs on a towering 78-foot tall spruce pine at the city's Sun Lake Park.

The tree is 30 feet around at the base, and weighs five and one half tons. It was shipped to Tampa by rail from the Catskill Mountains.

The tree is only slightly smaller than the one erected on the White House grounds each year. It required one large railway flat car and a portion of another to ship the giant tree.

Sun Lake Park is located approximately ten miles north of Tampa on State Road 597.

Christmas Cantata Scheduled Sunday

The Christmas Cantata "The World's Redeemer" by Fred Holton will be presented by the Church Choir of the First Baptist Church of Pahokee on Sunday evening, December 16th, at 7:30. The choir is made up of the following members:

Sopranos: Misses Dorothy Batchelor, Patricia Batthelor, Pam Boe, Raybeth Gray, Amy Young, Mrs. James Batchelor, Mrs. Chester Batchelor, Mrs. Earl Gamble, Mrs. Ralph Grimes, Mrs. Mary Hammond, Mrs. Wendell Harris, Mrs. Elmer Jones, Mrs. Lee Shirley, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Mrs. Wiley Tillis.

Altos: Mrs. Harvey Batchelor, Mrs. Jack Stanley, Mrs. Claude Shirley, Mrs. Frank Tillis, Mrs. Lee Wroten, Misses Lorraine Dunaway, Verlon Jones.

Tenors: Jimmy Batchelor, Ralph Grimes, Kell Hood, Ron Ter Haar, Basses: Bob Hasty, Lee Shirley, Jack Stanley.

The choir is under the direction of Mrs. Guthrie Colvard, Miss Faye Harris is at the piano and Miss Myra Jones is at the organ. The public is invited.

Holiday Bazaar Most Successful

The annual holiday bazaar held by the Canal Point Garden Club last Thursday evening was most successful, according to Mrs. Glenn Powell, president. A large crowd attended to eat, drink and purchase baked goodies and the attractive gift items. Mrs. Duke Tucker was in charge of preparing and serving the food, and Mrs. C. B. Stringari was general chairman.

The bazaar is the principle fund raising project of the Club during the year.

AIRMAN SECOND CLASS

Thurman Kemp, 137 Banyan Ave., Pahokee, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kemp, who recently joined the Air Force, is based at Keesler AFB, Miss. Due to his previous military service, Airmen Kemp was allowed his choice of electronic schools there, and give the rank of Airmen Second Class.

O. B. Tells The Lions Of Our Early Days

O. B. McClure was guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club, Tuesday, with the president, Kyle Scott, presiding. Introduced by Glenn Brower, program chairman, Mr. McClure spoke on the early days of South Florida, and on the Pahokee area in particular. He stated that he came from Colorado to Florida the first time in 1914 and bought property at Vero Beach. Then he and Frank Friend whom he had known in Colorado, bought property at Fellsmere but came on down to Pahokee in 1917. After making several trips during these years between Colorado and Florida, he returned to Colorado in 1917 and married Mrs. McClure and brought her with him to the mucklands where they have lived and reared their family.

Mr. McClure, one of the first City Councilmen of Pahokee, mentioned several dates of interest: that Pahokee was incorporated in 1922 and the Bank of Pahokee was opened the same year, and that Connor's Highway, the first paved highway in the area, was opened in 1924.

Guests were G. Weeks and Delmar Hooks of Canal Point; D. B. Mathis of Belle Glade and C. D. Ayers of Ft. Lauderdale. Miss Dottie Lair was the guest of student member, Mike Watkins.

This was the first meeting of the Club in their new building which they recently purchased from the Youth Center, and the president thanked the members for the pieces of equipment they had donated for use in the building.

Dr. Stokes Talks Of Many Canelands

At monthly luncheon meeting of Everglades U.S.D.A. Club, Dr. I. E. Stokes, Research Leader, Sugarcane and Sweet Sorghum Investigations, Corps Research Division of the U.S.D.A. addressed the group on his recent travels around the world during last September and October to attend the 11th Congress of The International Society of Sugar Cane Technologists on the island of Mauritius.

He illustrated his talk with colored slides of things of interest in Mauritius and other sugarcane countries that he visited on his trip. He visited India, Southern Rhodesia and Kenya in East Africa, Union of South Africa, Cocos Island, Reunion, Australia, and Hawaii. The color slides shown by Dr. Stokes to illustrate his talk were mainly of field practices and conditions under which sugarcane was grown in the respective countries, of symptoms of dreaded sugarcane diseases like smut and Fiji disease which fortunately by virtue of the close quarantine practices by the United States Department of Agriculture have not been introduced into the cane fields of this country. A striking feature illustrated by slides and commented on by Dr. Stokes was the tremendous amount of large

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Yuletide Music At Pahokee PTA

A program of Christmas music was presented at the Pahokee PTA meeting, Monday night, by the Pahokee High School Band under the direction of Bandmaster R. O. Lampi, and by the Glee Club under the direction of Miss Ellen Morgan.

The meeting was opened by the Girl Scouts of Troop 30, and Rev. Robert Shelley led the devotionals.

The room count awards were won by Bob Maxson's eleventh grade and Mrs. Robert Woolfer's second grade.

President James H. Wilkinson, Jr. presided over the meeting.

Local Basket Ball Team Wins Its First

The Canal Point Trojans' Basketball team got off to a good start this past Friday by downing Clewiston Junior High School by a score of 24 to 17.

Canal Point has a ten game schedule. Five home games and five away with the season ending the first week in February with a junior high tourney which will be played in Clewiston on the nights of February 11, 13, and 14. Canal Point plays Okeechobee this Friday at home with Belle Glade, Pahokee, South Bay, Pahokee, South Bay, Clewiston, Belle Glade and Okeechobee in that order rounding out the season.

The team is made up of the following boys: Ramon Molares, Tony Molares, Eldridge Kinsaul, Skippy Lanham, Sonny Usury, Roy Jinwright, Teddy McCall, Kenny Martin, Kenny Hayes, Ramon Zubizarreta and Bobby Tucker.

Middleton Given Board Recognition

The county commission Monday stood in a moment of silent prayer and then adopted a resolution of sympathy marking the death of County Engineer Steve Middleton. Middleton, who was named county engineer in 1953, died early in Dec. after a brief illness.

The resolution called attention to Middleton's thoroughness, integrity, and ability to perform his duties in such a manner that his action had been a great part in the development of the county.

PFC. GABALDON TO GERMANY

Pfc. Adrian Gabaldon who recently completed training at the parachute jump school, Fort Benning, Georgia, has been sent to Germany where he is stationed with the Eighth Army Division. Due to tight scheduling by the Army at the time he left the States, he was able to spend only three hours in Pahokee visiting his mother, Mrs. Cecelia Gabaldon. While he is in Germany, Pfc. Gabaldon plans to work toward a college degree by taking night courses as offered by the Extension Department of the University of Maryland.

Rough Weather In Our Farming Area

Old timers were scratching their heads Thursday morning and trying to remember the time when it was as cold as the thermometers registered between daylight and 8:00 a. m. In many spots on the ridge the gadget went down to 32 degrees and out in the muck it was much colder.

The fancy thermometer on the Bank of Pahokee—which was installed only a few short years ago went down to 32 degrees at 7:45 a. m. Thursday and this was a new low for that particular piece of weather measuring.

Sugarcane, corn, leaf vegetables—you name the freeze got 'em. Thousands of acres of corn was completely devastated. Beans and other vegetables were lost Wednesday morning and what was left took a severe drubbing Thursday morning.

Thousands of acres of sugarcane stood white in the sunshine Wednesday afternoon following the freeze that morning.

In the Glades Tuesday morning, low readings on the east side of Lake Okeechobee ranged from 28 to 33 near the lake to 23-28 away from the lake. There was moderate to heavy frost at all locations with ice at many places.

It was estimated the colder lo- (continued on page 8)

Car Wash Day For Air Condition Fund

Saturday, December 15, will be "Car Wash Day" at the Canal Point Community Building beginning at 9 a. m. Sponsored by members of James T. Threlkeld's eighth grade class of the Canal Point School, all proceeds will go toward the air-conditioning fund. The price will be \$1.00 per car and tickets are now being sold by class members. However, if it was not convenient to purchase a ticket, bring your car anyway.

Turkey Shoot By Patrol Auxiliary

The Florida Highway Patrol Auxiliary will hold a Turkey Shoot at the Elk's Club property, East Main Street, Pahokee, on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, December 22, 23 and 24 from 1 p. m. until dark each day. The cost will be one dollar per shot. A. E. (Cotton) Funderburk is committee chairman in charge, and he will be assisted by other members of the Auxiliary.

Vern Clark Gets Deputy's Badge Back

Vern Clark, Belle Glade 'whose tenure as a deputy sheriff has been subject of a recent grand jury inquiry, has been reinstated as a deputy sheriff. Freed by the jury, Clark had his deputy bond renewed by the county commission Monday. Also approved was a deputy sheriff bond for Daniel Gorham, county supervisor of registration.



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Here Is What Transpired At Monday's Meeting Of The Palm Beach County Commission

Commissioner Edward Bandlow, Lake Worth, this week withdrew his previous opposition to leasing a plot of John Prince Park as a site for a new fire station and the Reservation Fire Department now has a location for a new headquarters.

C. W. Bennett, fire department treasurer and spokesman for the group made his third appearance before the county commission this week and was successful in his bid for land at Lantana Airport as a site for a building to house the volunteer department's fire fighting equipment.

The commission joined Bandlow in support of his motion to lease land at the airport to the department. The lease will contain a 60 day cancellation clause. It will be for ten years with an option to renew and will contain a reverter clause in which all fire department improvements will revert to the county at the end of a first ten year period.

The county sub division road improvement program, hard hit by spiraling prices, took several varying turns this week.

In the past three months, costs of the road improvements have taken startling jumps between the time engineering estimates are prepared and bids are taken.

Such was the case of Oxford and Cambridge Streets, where improvements ran about \$5,000 higher than estimates. Property owners on the streets—who eventually pay pro-rata shares of the improvement—asked the commission to go ahead with the work despite the higher prices.

Not so with property owners on Jules Street. They asked the commission to drop the project which

was going to cost \$1.50 more per front foot than the original estimate of \$5.33 per foot.

The commission also took a hard look at comparative figures which showed that costs of sub division improvements had jumped as much as 300 percent in some instances during the past three months.

George Frost, acting county engineer said he believed one of the reasons for the price boosts was that the improvement projects are relatively small jobs and do not attract keen competitive bidding that goes along with larger road projects.

The commission, in spite of the rising costs, decided to go ahead with plans for a number of proposed road improvement programs and to accept bids on the project. Vice Chairman E. F. Van Kessel said he believed the property owners should have a chance to either accept or reject the projects after bids were received.

Social Security No. Is A Necessity

If you plan to work during the Christmas season you will need a social security number. R. C. Gehrken, Jr., Social Security District Manager in West Palm Beach, said today.

Work for any business firm as a sales person, cashier, or other job is covered by social security, and employers must have a social security number for each employee to report these wages.

Gehrken said that although the total wages paid may not seem significant now, eventually they accumulate and will be used in figuring the total amount of monthly social security benefit payments.

Women who have had social security numbers in the past and who have married and changed their names should report their new name to their social security office. Social security records should show this name change, but the same number originally issued will be used.

When an employee is hired he should be sure to show his social security number to his employer. The employer can then report the number accurately on the tax return he uses to report wages paid.

VAL IS INITIATED

Last Sunday, Val Gabaldon of Pahokee was initiated into Phi Theta Kappa at Palm Beach Junior College. Phi Theta Kappa is a national honorary society for Junior Colleges and the requirements that a student must meet for admission are that he be in the top ten per cent of his class and carry a grade average of at least a B.



One of the most interesting and informative reports on U. S. agriculture that has recently come to my attention is a brochure titled "What's Ahead in Farming." It contains the reports of Farm Journal's 12 field editors that were presented to Midwestern advertising executives at a meeting a short time ago in Chicago.

I was particularly interested in one comment by John Russell who covers an area including Ohio, Indiana and Michigan—the Eastern Corn Belt. Said he: "You can't help but see bigger farm units coming . . . with more and more farmers operating like other businessmen."

"Management is becoming the key word in profitable farm operations. Only by adopting intelligent, business-like methods can a farmer come out on top. Farming is no longer just a way of life. It's a way of business."

I've been preaching that line for quite awhile. It's particularly important that our young people understand and appreciate it, and know how necessary it is for them to continue their education by going to college and getting the best background they can before entering the business of farming.

The status of the family farm in our agricultural economy is viewed this way by Ray Anderson, who covers the Mountain States of Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico and Eastern Montana:

"The changes in agriculture have had less undermining impact on the family farm than is frequently believed. The family has proved to be sufficiently flexible and amenable to change to permit it to retain, and even to enhance, its position. For, contrary to the opinion of many, family farms are becoming increasingly important in our agriculture."

"Of even greater import is the fact that the adequate-sized family farms are increasing in importance at an accelerated rate. This occurs as smaller farms drop out and their real estate is added to other units, and as substitution of capital for labor enables farm families to operate larger and larger units."

"This suggests that technology is compatible with 'adequate' family farms, a conclusion that is substantiated by a number of pertinent studies for different types

of farms in different areas."

There is this comment from Richard K. Seim who reports from Iowa and Northern Illinois: "No matter who tells the tale, I don't buy the story that farmers are teetering on the brink. If they're at a 'brink' it's a brink of greater efficiency and expansion, of increased professionalism as food producers. Pride and independence have not been abandoned by the farmers of the Midwest—and will not be."

I was interested to note that several of the editors stressed the point that farmers want bigger farm machines. This comment came from the Western Corn Belt—Wisconsin, Minnesota and North and South Dakota: "There's always a push for more power—bigger tractors. I've noticed a lot of farmers buying new and bigger plows too. They say their old plows just won't do the job in these heavy, 100-bushel stalk fields."

In the Southern Corn Belt—Missouri, Kansas, Southern Illinois and Nebraska—the district salesman for a large equipment firm reported volume on larger equipment running 10 to 15 per cent above 1961, which was a good year. Another dealer is quoted: "The trend to larger equipment and more automatic features continues."

U. S. Production of mushrooms has doubled in the past eight years from 75 million to more than 150 million pounds a year, according to figures announced recently by the American Mushroom Institute. During that period per capita consumption has risen from

7 ounces to 14 ounces annually. Besides taste appeal and versatility of uses in cooking appetizing dishes, mushroom promotion has stressed the fact that a pound of the succulent vegetable contains only 66 calories.

Produce News reports a record price of \$6.55 per carton was paid for a truckload of Florida lemons sold at auction in New York City early in November. They were the first of the season from our state, shipped by Apopka Fruit Company.

ON CHANNEL 5 TV SHOW

Four Pahokee children appeared Wednesday morning, in the television show, *Genie's Magic*. Farm on Channel 5. The children were Hal Unwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Unwin; Kay Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williams; Susan Johnson, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. Ralph Johnson; and Leigh Ann Shirley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Jr.

VISITS IN LAKELAND

Mrs. Jess Elliott spent the weekend in Lakeland visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harvey. She was accompanied to Lakeland by her mother, Mrs. Emma Wheeler, who will remain there through the Christmas holidays.

RETURNS FROM LEAVE

Seaman Jerry Spires of the U. S. Navy, returned to his duties at Norfolk, Virginia, last Friday, following a seven day leave which he spent in Pahokee visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spires.

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The Treasury explains why the new ones you buy and the ones you own now are better than ever

Q: How does the new $3\frac{3}{4}\%$ interest rate benefit me?

A: With Series E Bonds, the rate turns \$18.75 into \$25.00 fourteen months faster than the old rate. Your savings increase faster, because your Bonds mature in just 7 years, 9 months.

With Series H Bonds, the 10-year maturity period stays the same but more interest is paid you each six months. With both E and H Bonds the new rate works out to $2\frac{1}{4}\%$ for the first year and a half, then a guaranteed 4% each year to maturity.

Q: When did the new rate become effective?

A: June 1, 1959.

Q: Does the new rate change the Bonds I bought before June 1, 1959?

A: All older E and H Bonds pay more now—an extra $\frac{1}{2}\%$ from now on, when held to maturity. The increase takes effect in the first full interest period after June 1.

Q: Will the Bonds I own automatically earn their new rate?

A: Yes. You don't need to do a thing—just hold on to your Bonds.

Q: When my E Bonds mature, will they keep on earning interest?

A: Yes. An automatic 10-year extension privilege went into effect along with the new interest rate. This means your E Bonds will automatically keep earning interest after maturity.

Q: With the new interest rate, should I cash in my old Bonds and buy new ones?

A: No. The automatic $\frac{1}{2}\%$ increase makes it unnecessary—and in almost every case it is to your advantage to retain your present Bonds.

Q: How are series H Bonds different from series E Bonds?

A: The chief difference is this: You buy H Bonds at full face value and the interest is paid by Treasury

check every six months for the life of the Bond. You buy E Bonds at 75% of face value and the interest accumulates to maturity. H Bonds provide income for living expenses, while E Bonds build a nest egg for the future. That's why many retired people hold H Bonds and families saving for, say, a child's education, buy E Bonds.

Q: In what denominations can I buy series E and series H Bonds?

A: E Bonds: \$25 (cost \$18.75), \$50 (cost \$37.50), \$100 (cost \$75.00), \$200 (cost \$150.00), \$500 (cost \$375.00), \$1,000 (cost \$750.00), \$10,000 (cost \$7,500.00).

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Q: What if my Bonds should be lost, stolen or destroyed?

A: You can't lose. Every Bond purchased is recorded by the Treasury. If anything happens to your Bonds they are replaced—free.

Q: Where can I buy Bonds?

A: Buy E Bonds at any bank—it takes only a few minutes. Buy them automatically through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. This Plan means you can have any amount you name automatically deducted every payday. The Bonds you buy by installments are delivered to you automatically, too. Your bank will take your order for H Bonds.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Cadet Pat Maxwell will arrive in Pahokee today from Florida Military School, DeLand, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell.

W. L. (Bill) Brown, Jr., who was called to Atlanta, Georgia, by the unexpected death of his stepfather, W. O. Beck, on Saturday, returned to his home in Pahokee on Wednesday.

Don M. Hillier returned to his home in Pahokee, Sunday, after having been a medical patient at Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach for several days.

AT2 Joe Parker of the US Navy arrived in Canal Point Sunday from Norfolk, Virginia to spend his 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Jeffers of Dothan, Alabama, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Dennis L. Friend, and other relatives over the week-

end, having come to Pahokee to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Jean Kay Friend on Saturday.

Recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Powell were Mr. and Mrs. Lorene Spessard and Mr. and Mrs. Mercer Brown, all of Ridgefarm, Ill. and Mrs. E. W. Brandes of Palm Beach.

Mrs. L. W. Mullis is in Tallahassee this week to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Carol Ann Arnsdorf, who underwent surgery there on Monday.

Mrs. Mariene-Nelson returned to her home in St. Augustine, last Friday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams in Pahokee.

Miss Alice Elaine Hurt, who attends Florida College of Medical Technology in Miami, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Hurt.

State Aid For Wildlife Production

TALLAHASSEE — Landowners and farmers may now produce more fish and wildlife by developing their lands for hunting, fishing and other forms of outdoor recreation and receive a share of the cost for such developments under the 1963 Agricultural Conservation Program, according to Wayne Murray, Wildlife Biologist, Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

Conservation practices included in the program are the creation of fish ponds, development of ponds or marshes for waterfowl, the establishment of wildlife food plantings, and the management of forest lands for wildlife. As provided by the Food and Agriculture Act, the Federal Government will share the cost of expenses in creating and developing public recreational areas and make available long-term FHA loans for the construction or installation of recreational facilities.

Additional information on these conservation and recreational practices can be obtained from the County Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service, County Soil Conservation Service or the Game Management Division of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission. Application for these cost-share programs should be made prior to January 10 to qualify for the 1963 program.

FILM IS SHOWN

"The Stones Cry Out" was the title of the film shown by Dr. R. C. Lane at the dinner meeting of the Pahokee Methodist Men's Club held in the social hall of the church, Monday night. Duncan Padgett presided in the absence of the president, John Hatton.



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Tourist Industry Aids All In State

TALLAHASSEE — The extent to which all Florida citizens benefit from the tourist industry is shown in a survey just completed by the Florida Development Commission, Chairman-Director Wendell Jarrard said today.

"Everyone recognizes that establishments like hotels, motels, restaurants and commercial attractions depend heavily on tourists," Jarrard said. "But it is not always understood that there are many ways in which our visitors' spending helps other sections of the economy."

Jarrard's statement coincided with the launching of a campaign by Governor Farris Bryant for Floridians to join a newly-created Official Florida Greeters Club.

"Of course, the obvious way tourists help all Floridians is by paying in more than 14 per cent of all direct state taxes," Jarrard continued. "That makes it possible to finance Florida government at a progressive level without levying unduly burdensome taxes on our resident population."

He noted also that added governmental expense resulting from tourism is almost negligible.

"The two biggest items in Florida's governmental budget are education and welfare, which together account for more than 70 per cent of all spending," he explained. "But tourists add little to these two expenditures, since you have to live in Florida five years to be eligible for welfare and if you are a non-resident and put your children in school you must pay tuition for them."

Jarrard said the marketing problems of Florida farmers were greatly eased by tourists, who annually consume billions of pounds of the state's agricultural products.

APPROX. ONE OF EVERY FOUR VISITORS IS SEEING FLORIDA FOR THE FIRST TIME!



SOUTH FLORIDA TOURISM STEERING COMMITTEE



Bridal Shower For Alyce Joyce Spencer

Miss Alyce Joyce Spencer bride-elect of William Herbert Whitcomb, was honored at a bridal shower held Friday night at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Hundley, 1251 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee.

Hostesses with Mrs. Hundley were Mrs. Richard Hurt, Mrs. Elmer Jones, Mrs. Marshall Lair, Mrs. Claude Padgett, Mrs. R. B. Simonson, Mrs. Leon Spooner and Mrs. Broughton Watkins.

The refreshment table was laid with a cloth of lace and centered with an arrangement of pink poinsettias and gold sprayed fern. The scene was lighted with pink tapers in silver candelabra. Crystal appointments were used. Mrs. Billy Turbeville and Mrs. Chester Mullis were in charge of the bride's book.

Miss Spencer wore a beautiful white orchid with silver dotted ribbon and tiny silver bells attached, presented to her by the hostesses, who presented her mother, Mrs. Jack Spencer, with a purple orchid corsage.

Among the lovely gifts received by the honoree was an electric skillet, also a gift from the hostesses.

North-South Game Will Be Televised

MIAMI — The North-South Shrine College All-Star football game will get its biggest promotional boost in its 17-year history when ABC-TV will televise the contest to the nation from the Orange Bowl, Saturday, Dec. 22.

It will be the first time the famous game will have been televised. The telecast will begin at 3:30 p. m. and will be viewed by an estimated audience of 30 million. The game will be blacked out for a 150-mile radius of Miami.

Proceeds of the annual contest are used in the care and treatment of needy crippled children in the 17 Shrine hospitals around the country.

Jim McKay will be the host announcer and the game will be carried live on the ABC-TV Wide World of Sports show. The same show will return to Miami later in the month to tape the highlights of the Orange Bowl Regatta's closed course races Dec. 29-30, for another Wide World of Sports show.

STATIONED IN GERMANY

Following a visit on the Florida Keys with Mrs. Gandy, the former Betty Jean Clark, Airman 1-c John H. Gandy left last Saturday for McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey to leave for overseas duty in Spangdahlem, Germany, where he expects to be stationed for the next three years. Mrs. Gandy plans to join him there in the near future.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meyer (Nancy Thomas) announce the birth of a 6 lb. 7 oz. son, Robert E. Meyer, Jr., born Wednesday night, December 12, at Everglades Memorial Hospital. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thomas, Sr., of Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Allen Dulany, Belle Glade, announce the birth of a 7 lb. 3 oz. son, Philip Allen, Jr., at Belle Glade Memorial Hospital December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dulany are the paternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Draa, Sr. the maternal grandparents, all of Belle Glade; Mrs. C. A. Shive, Pahokee, is the paternal great-grandmother.

\$11,500 In Cash For Each County In State

TALLAHASSEE — State Comptroller Ray E. Green said today that each of Florida's 67 counties will be mailed checks for \$11,500 for its share of the race track tax fund.

Green said it is the second payment of the current fiscal year and brings the total to \$39,500. This is \$3,500 over the same period last year, he added.

The total received by each county last fiscal year from the race track tax fund was \$201,800.

VISIT ART GALLERY

A special tour of the Norton Art Gallery was taken Monday night by a group who belong to Mrs. Margaret Earwood's art class, established under the adult education program of Palm Beach County. They were guided through the Gallery by Mr. Moore, assistant director. Those attending from the Canal Point-Pahokee area were Mrs. Edna Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Maxson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter.

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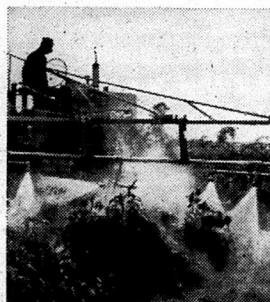
This is a problem that many growers are

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Beets, Garden (incl. tops)	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Cutworms (climbing), Dipterous leafminer (adult), False chinch bug, Grasshoppers, Imported cabbageworm, Leafhopper, Salt-marsh caterpillar	3 days	Celery	Aphids, Mites, Dipterous leafminer (adult), Lygus bugs, Salt-marsh caterpillar, Leafhoppers, Cabbage looper	3 days	Okra	Aphids, Mites, Cutworms (climbing), Corn earworm, Green stinkbug, Velvet bean caterpillar	1 day
Broccoli, Cabbage	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Imported cabbageworm, Leafhoppers, Salt-marsh caterpillar, Cutworms (climbing), Dipterous leafminer (adult), Grasshopper, Lygus bugs	1 day	Cucumbers Tomatoes	Aphids, Mites, Leafhoppers, Grasshoppers	1 day	Potatoes	Aphids, Mites, Grasshoppers, Leafhoppers	1 day
Lettuce	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Corn earworm, Cutworms (climbing), Dipterous leafminer (adult), Imported cabbageworm, Grasshoppers, Leafhopper, Lygus bugs, Salt-marsh caterpillar, False chinch bug	2 days	Eggplant, Peppers	Aphids, Mites, Grasshoppers, Leafhoppers	2 days	Spinach	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Imported cabbageworm, Grasshoppers, Leafhoppers, Dipterous leafminer (adult), Cutworms (climbing), Salt-marsh caterpillar, False chinch bug	4 days
			Brussels Sprouts, Cauliflower, Collards, Kale	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Imported cabbageworm, Salt-marsh caterpillar, Cutworms (climbing), Dipterous leafminer (adult), Lygus bugs, Grasshoppers, Leafhoppers	3 days	Turnips, Turnip Tops, Mustard Greens	Aphids, Mites, Cabbage looper, Imported cabbageworm, False chinch bug, Dipterous leafminer (adult), Grasshopper, Leafhopper	3 days
			Strawberries	Aphids, Mites, Strawberry leaf roller, Salt-marsh caterpillar	1 day			

News Of The Churches

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Robert A. Shelley, Pastor
SUNDAY:
 10:00 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
MONDAY:
 8:15 p. m.—Youth Choir practice
TUESDAY:
 8:00 p. m.—Woman's Society
 1st Tuesday
2nd MONDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Eather Class meeting
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

SUNDAY:
 9:45—Sunday School.
 11:00—Morning Worship
 6:15—Training Union
 7:30—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30—Prayer Service

Canal Point Baptist Church

SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Training Union
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Church Of God, Barfield Highway

Pahokee, Fla.
 J. W. Hughes, Minister
 Phone 924-3736
SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
TUESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Service
THURSDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Youth for Christ Service

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

August Koerber, Pastor
 601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
 Divine Services 11 A. M.
 School 9:45 A. M.

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church Pahokee

Rev. L. Lossing, Vicar
SUNDAY:
 10 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Worship Service

Canal Point First Baptist Church

Elder R. E. Barfield
SUNDAY:
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 7:00 p. m.—B. T. C.
 8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer Service
2nd and 4th TUESDAYS:
 7:30 p. m.—Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Father Francis Fenech, Pastor
 Sunday Mass—11:30 a. m.
 Confessions before Mass

W. P. Pope of Canal Point entered the Veterans hospital in Coral Gables on Tuesday of this week where he will undergo medical treatment.

First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. T. C. O'Steen
SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:45 p. m.—MYF
 7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
 7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
 7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
 8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice

Pahokee Baptist Circles In Meeting

The four circles of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pahokee First Baptist Church held regular December meetings at the homes of members on Tuesday. "Spiritual Life Development" was the topic of the programs presented at the meetings.

Members of the Betty Mills Circle met at the home of Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Jr. with the chairman, Mrs. Claude Shirley, presiding. Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson, Jr. presented the program and was assisted by Mrs. Don Collier, Mrs. Joel Brown, Mrs. Lee Wroten, Mrs. Guthrie Colvard and Mrs. Claude Shirley, Sr. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Guthrie Colvard.

A Christmas party and exchange of gifts was enjoyed by members of the Lottie Moon Circle which met at the home of Mrs. W. A. Keen, with the chairman, Mrs. Marvin Crady, presiding. Mrs. L. M. Mullis presented the program and was assisted by Mrs. W. A. Keen, Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Sr., Mrs. F. G. Gillis and Mrs. J. C. Mock. Circle members are planning to prepare Christmas baskets for shut-ins. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Batchelor.

Mrs. Ralph Crews read the Christmas story from the Bible at the meeting of the Faye Taylor Circle held at the home of Mrs. Milton Douglas, Tuesday night with Mrs. J. D. Douglas as co-hostess. Members exchanged gifts and voted to prepare love gift baskets for shut-ins, as a community mission project. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Kyle Hatfield.

Mrs. H. C. Graham presented the program at meeting of the Grace Jernigan Circle in the home of the chairman, Mrs. E. B. Gamble. Mrs. Graham was assisted by Mrs. W. M. DuBose, Mrs. J. L. Humphrey, Sr., Mrs. R. S. Douthit, Mrs. M. J. Sapp and Mrs. Wiley Tillis.

Members voted to send a cash gift to a child in the Children's Home in Lakeland.

The January meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. H. C. Graham.

Rotarians Hear Talk About Memory

Michael Koman of Miami was guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Rotary Club held last Thursday. Introduced by Luke DuFresne, Mr. Koman spoke on making the best use of one's memory. He illustrated this by performing an unusual feat. He called each member present by name and gave the occupation of each after having only been introduced to them as they entered the building.

Guests were Lee Cranford and "Slick" Kirchman of Belle Glade; Bill Boswell of Clewiston and Dr. E. E. Stokes of Washington; Dr. C. Jimmy Vandegrift was the guest of student member, R. O. (Buddy) Lampf, Jr.

Four Circles Will Hold Regular Meet

The four circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Pahokee First Methodist Church will hold meetings on Monday, December 17. Members of the Vera Mae Schroder Circle will meet with Mrs. J. T. Boynton at 10 a. m.; the Simonson-Lair Circle will meet in the Men's Bible Classroom at 2:00 p. m. with Mrs. M. P. Holman, Mrs. Lon Wilson and Mrs. Robina Blakey as hostesses; the Gertrude Shirley Circle will meet with Mrs. J. L. Reeves where Mrs. J. A. Lavender will be co-hostess; and the Miriam Circle in the social hall of the church with Mrs. Ernest Maxwell and Mrs. E. O. Winch as hostesses. The Gertrude Shirley and the Miriam Circles will meet at 8 p. m.

The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Rev. Max D. Jones, Pastor
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SUNDAY SERVICES:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Juniors
 7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service
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Mrs. Evans Leads Mission Study Topic

"New Frontiers in the Old World" was the topic of the mission study presented by Mrs. W. S. Evans at the meeting Monday of the Ione Patterson Circle at the Canal Point Baptist Church with the chairman, Mrs. J. L. McCall, presiding.

Mrs. Evans presented the last two chapters of the book which were on Korea and Japan and showed colored slides of Japan. It was announced that the Circle will hold its annual Christmas party in the Sunday School room of the church on Friday, December 21, with a tree for the children, and a covered dish supper for all the families of the church.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. C. Carter on January 14 at 2:30 p. m.

Refreshments were served during the social hour by the hostess, Mrs. J. L. McCall.

TWO NEW MEMBERS

Mrs. Pauline Boydston and Mrs. Edrye Burdine, both of Belle Glade, were initiated into the Omicron Chapter of Sigma Eta Phi Arts Sorority at the meeting held at the home of Mrs. Mary Anderson in Belle Glade last Friday night. The meeting was a social one and featured a buffet supper.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank my good friends, neighbors and loved ones for all their kindness, prayers, flowers, cards and gifts that was my pleasure to receive during my recent illness. Also the whole nursing staff of Everglades Memorial Hospital and my doctor.

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The Everglades News

PAUL RARDIN, Publisher

Dr. Stokes Talks —

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brown rocks in the sugarcane fields. These rocks had to be removed from the soil before implementation was practical and these rocks were piled in continuous 3 to 4 feet high wall-like piles between about every fourth row of sugarcane. Because of a weed problem in the rocks, the practice is to move these rocks by hand labor every year or two into an adjoining clean middle. Dr. Stokes traveled to Mauritius and the several sugarcane countries in company with Dr. E. V. Abbott, Principal Pathologist in charge of the U.S.D.A. Sugarcane Field Station at Houma, Louisiana.

This was the first meeting of the new year and the new slate of officers were in charge with Dr. F. Douglas Wilson presiding. New committee chairmen announced by President Wilson were as follows:

Preston H. Duckelmann, Program Chairman.

Hiram Whittemore, Membership Chairman.

Carl O. Grassl, Educational Chairman.

Griffin Bell, Fellowship Chairman.

Bascom A. Belcher, Public Relations Chairman.

Mr. Duckelmann announced that the program for the next monthly meeting would be held at the Community Building in Canal Point and at the Sugarcane Field Station.

Guests of the Club were F. le Grand, Sugarcane Agronomist, Everglades Experiment Station, and Dr. Paul Thayer, Pathologist, Everglades Experiment Station.

Mental Health To Get County Boost

The County Commission this week agreed to try and work out a land title for transfer of the property to the Mental Health Association as a site for a new association operating headquarters.

Rabbi Irving Cohen, association spokesman, told the commission that there were four lots available on Fern St. near the county health department building which would be suitable for a new headquarters sites for the County Red Cross and the Mental Health group. Three of the lots are owned by the city and the fourth sought by the association is controlled by the city, having been deeded to West Palm Beach by the county for public use but not for sale. The commission said it would attempt to gain title to the one lot and in turn make it available to the Mental Health association, probably on a lease agreement.

RETURNS TO BASE

Seaman Apprentice Ronnie Crosby, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Crosby of Pahokee, returned to his base at Norfolk, Virginia, Tuesday, following a 14-day leave. After a four month tour of duty at Norfolk, Seaman Crosby will enter school at Bainbridge, Maryland, for 24 weeks of training as a radio-man.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO REGISTER FICTITIOUS NAME

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, under the provisions of Chapter 20,953, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Palm Beach County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to-wit:

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Florida Wealth Is Up Several Rungs

Florida has increased its share of the nation's wealth this year, moving up several more rungs on the economic ladder during the year, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce said yesterday.

"Florida's growing economic stature shows up well in almost every category in a comparison of the state's proportion of national totals in 1957 and 1962. The total income received by Floridians is a good example as it stood at 2.23 per cent of the total personal income earned in the nation in 1957 and at 2.50 per cent estimated for 1962. The small per cent gain represents many millions when expressed in dollars and places Floridians' income at \$11 billion plus for the year. This total income level represents: expanding consumer markets but because of a greater population growth, the per capita income of Floridians does not fare so well. In 1957 it was 89 per cent of the national average and estimates for 1962 indicate a drop to 85 per cent in 1962.

"Gross income of Florida farmers and growers made up 2.22 per cent of the national figure in 1957 and 2.43 per cent in 1961. Incomplete returns for 1962 show the probability of a slight drop this year.

Assets of Florida banks grew from 1.70 per cent of national in 1957 and 1.82 per cent this year; life insurance in force 1.92 per cent in 1957 and 2.41 per cent; private savings in savings and loan shares 4.04 per cent and 4.67 per cent of national; and internal revenue collections 1.29 per cent and 1.49 per cent.

"Measures in volume, rather than in dollars, include electric power production at 1.96 per cent in 1957 and 2.49 per cent this year. Passenger car registrations stood at 3.02 per cent and 3.38 per cent.

"During the interval, Florida's population pushed upward from 2.47 per cent in 1957 to 2.94 per cent this year. Total employment in non-farm establishments in the state moved from 2.15 per cent to 2.51 per cent and manufacturing employment from about one per cent in 1957 to 1.32 per cent this year. Florida's larger proportion of population than of non-farm employment reflects the effect of a large number of retirees among the state's residents."

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11th Grade: Loretta Barfield, David Beede, Bruce Boynton, Tommy Brock, Paula Bryant, Wilma Cooper, Harry Cunningham, Barbara Davis, Raybeth Gray, Carol Hatton, Gloria King, Walter Parker, Charles Pili, Jann Plummer, Hazel Sheppard, Roger Simonson, Linda Wilson, and Walter Young.

10th Grade: Ernest Batista, Freddy McKee, Patrick Murphy, Joan Parker, Linda Reid, Lidia Varella, and Larry Wright.

9th Grade: Tamara Branch, Ted Butler, Glenda Crews, Patsy Davis, Leawanda Edmondson, Terry Hall, Nancy Harrington, Larry Harris, Ethel Johnson, Audrey McDowell, Michael Sanders, Calvin Spooner, Reid Tillery, and Josephine Young.

Pahokee Water To—

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son and Goss, Inc., West Palm Beach; Barcus Kindred and Co., Miami; and Leedy, Wheeler and Alleman, Orlando.

Council agreed to study the three proposals and to meet later with representatives of the firms, according to Miss Patricia Batchelor, city clerk.

Councilman Lloyd Hundley was appointed as supervisor of parks and Boy Scout Beach on Lake Okeechobee, Miss Batchelor reported. Councilman Karl Mindlin was appointed supervisor of administration, the fire department and the breakwater on the lake front.

Council authorized the city clerk to advertise for a raw water pump and a high service pump for the Pahokee water works.

HOME FROM NEW YORK

Mrs. E. C. Johnson returned Tuesday from Farmingdale, N. Y., where she visited relatives for several days. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. S. B. Henderickson, who plans to make her home in Pahokee.

Jean Kay Friend Weds W. E. Stripling

On Saturday, December 8, at 3 p. m., Miss Jean Kay Friend became the bride of Walter E. Stripling in a double ring ceremony at the Pahokee First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Guthrie Colvard, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Dennis L. Friend of Pahokee, and the late Dennis L. Friend, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Stripling of Stuart. Those in attendance were relatives of the bride and groom from Stuart, Pahokee and Dothan, Alabama.

The young couple is residing in Stuart until their new home is completed at the Allapattah Ranch near Indiantown, where the groom is employed.

ENTERTAIN VESPER CHOIR

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Simonson entertained members of the Vesper Choir at their home on Bacom Point Road, following the evening services at the Pahokee First Methodist Church, Sunday night.

Rough Weather In —

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calons had freezing temperatures for eight to 11 hours.

Low readings included: Belle Glade, 29, moderate frost, thin ice; Belle Glade Everglades Experiment Station, 26, heavy frost; 20-Mile Bend, 24, heavy frost and ice; Indiantown, Hood Groves, 38, frost; Moore Haven, 36, heavy frost; Port Mayaca, 31 at one station and 29 at another; Serrales Farm, U. S. 27 south of South Bay, 25, Brown Farm Road kenaf Farm, 24; Florida Sugar, 23; Okeelanta Sugar Refinery, 20; Muck City, 25.

In the Glades there are approximately 129,000 acres of sugarcane and 70,000 to 80,000 acres of vegetables under cultivation. Along the coast there are slightly more than 20,000 net acres under cultivation, all within the Lake Worth Drainage District.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Echols and daughter, Teryl, visited his sister, Mrs. Ola Cammack at Fort Myers, Sunday, where she is critically ill in the hospital.

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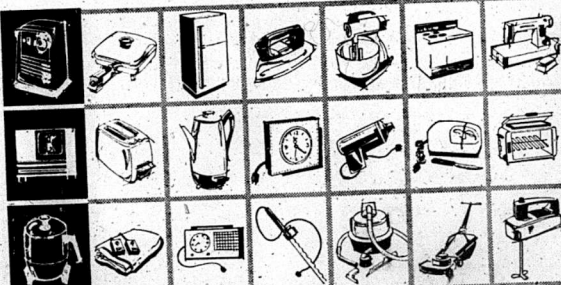
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